

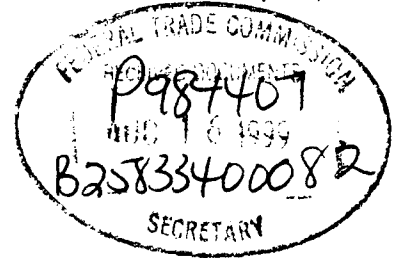
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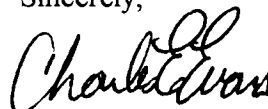
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To Whom it May Concern:

We are an independent family funeral home whose lively hood depends on a successful business. In order to stay competitive in this market we must be on a level playing field with all our competitors. If some companies can sell funeral goods without the same regulations we have to follow that gives them an unfair advantage.

We believe very strongly that the funeral rule should be expanded to cover any business... that sells funeral goods or services. This will also protect the consumer who are preyed on by unscrupulous funeral businesses. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,


Charles E. Evans

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